MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*): An explanation was called for from the officer and he said that the omission was due to some accident. The matter was dropped.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*): May I know whether all of them were appointed in temporary vacancies?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*): 47 were appointed in permanent vacancies and 19 in temporary vacancies.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*): Were they all acting hands?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*): Yes.

Irrigation tanks in Chirayinkil taluk.

215. *MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): With reference to the answers to questions Nos. 32 and 33, No. 3, Vol. III of the Proceedings of the Travancore Sri Mulam Assembly, dated the 29th July 1934, *re* irrigation tanks in the Chirayinkil taluk, will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the Irrigation Engineer has inspected any irrigation tanks in that taluk;

(*b*) if so, whether they will be pleased to furnish a *pakuthi*-war statement of the tanks inspected, and

(*c*) if not, the reason therefor?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) No tanks were inspected but several other works in connection with the restoration of flood damages were inspected.

(*b*) A *list of works inspected is laid on the table.

(*c*) There are no tank works provided for in the budget, and hence none was inspected.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): In answer to part (*c*), may I know whether any funds were provided for irrigation works in the Budget for 1110?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): There was no provision for tanks.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): May I know whether there is provision for irrigation works?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): I claim notice.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): In reference to the list furnished, may I know whether there is any allotment for Nadayarapalam in the Budget of 1110?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): Yes.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): May I know the amount?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): I claim notice.

* *Vide* Apendix I.

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Appendix I.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 215.**

List of works inspected.

Item No.	Date	Name of work	Pakuthi
1	21-8-1109	Mamom river flood banks ...	Sarkara
		Nadayara Padom (North-west of Varkala-Paripalli road) ...	Varkala
2	2-10-1109	Sankanam anicut ...	Sarkara
3	27-10-1109	Manamboor thodu, Shankanam anicut ...	Do.
4	4-1-1110	Kottiyode ela in Attingal, Drainage facilities ...	Attingal
5	30-3-1110	Mamom river bank works ...	Sarkara
6	18-4-1110	Manamboor thodu and Mamom river	Manamboor

Appendix II.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 216.**

Statement showing the number of 1st and 2nd appeals pending in the High Court at the end of 1109 M. E.

	S. A. I Appeal	A. S. II Appeal	Total
(*a*) Number of appeals pending at the end of 1109 ...	1,422	1,822	3,244
(*b*) Number of such appeals pending for more than three years ..	400	375	775
Do. four years ...	239	150	389
Do. five years ...	125	46	171

(c) *Vide* answer to the last portion of (*b*).

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